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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Tomoo Kimura et al.

Serial No.: 09/964,515

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: Customer Number: 20277

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: Group Art Unit: 2825

: Examiner: Annette M. THOMPSON

For: CIRCUIT OPERATION VERIFYING METHOD AND APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2003, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire October 18, 2003, a petition for a two month extension of time up to and including December 18, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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